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COW PEAS AND ONION SETS

THE enormous demand for cow peas last year carried the price exceedingly high and as the acreage is rapidly extending, we think the price will be very much higher as the sowing season approaches. Place your orders with us *now*, if you expect to get the benefit of low prices. We will accept a deposit of 50c per bushel, balance to be paid when the peas are shipped and we will carry them for you free of storage until May 1st at which time, we expect the balance to be paid unless shipped sooner.

Our peas are the best grown, coming from Tennessee and Alabama which produces the best, and should not be confused with inferior cow peas that are being offered from the West, which do not germinate from more than 40 to 75%. You will find all our cow peas bright and of first-class quality.

THE VARIETIES WE HAVE FOR SALE

The leading varieties of cow peas are the whips, clays, blacks, unknown, new era, red rippers, etc. We have all varieties and shall be glad to have an order from you at the following prices:—

Choice Whippoorwills, per bushel	\$2 50
Choice New Eras, per bushel	2 45
Choice Blacks, per bushel	2 45
Choice Red Rippers, per bushel	2 45
Choice Blue Whips, per bushel	2 45
Choice Clays, per bushel	2 35
Choice mixed varieties, per bushel	2 15

If you desire to take advantage of this special offer of cow peas, advise at once and either remit in full at 5c per bushel less than prices above, or remit 50c per bushel on account and the peas will be reserved for you for shipment as you desire up to May 1, 1911.

The whip-poor-wills are generally preferred in central states. They are bush form, early maturing and especially desirable for peas. New eras are a trifle earlier and make more vine. For hay, the clays and unknown varieties and mixed peas are the most productive which should always be planted with an occasional grain of corn, sorghum seed, kaffir corn, etc., which will prevent the vines from getting damaged by coming in contact with the ground.

Cow pea hay is said to be fully equal and in some respects superior to red clover hay and contains almost exactly the same amounts and proportions of digestible materials as wheat bran. The peas of both, whips and new eras are easily injured by spells of wet fall weather. Black cow peas are a little later maturing, make a good growth of vine, are superior for medium or poor land and these peas will stand almost any amount of wet weather without injury.

HOW TO PLANT

Sixty to seventy-five pounds of seed are required per acre if sown broadcast and 30 to 45 pounds if drilled. Late planting tends to increase seed production but reduces the growth of the vine. Peas, drilled and cultivated will undoubtedly produce the greatest amount of hay as well as seed in favorable seasons, while broadcast sowing in wet seasons will produce the most hay but not the greatest amount of seed.

The cow pea is a tender as well as a hot weather plant, hence it is no advantage to plant until the ground becomes warm. The cow pea is becoming more popular every season and under favorable circumstances will produce an abundant crop on land too poor for corn.

ONION SETS

We have a first-class stock of yellow and white onion sets. We are putting these onion sets up in sacks and not charging anything for the sacks, but the sacks are weighed in with the sets and we offer you choice yellow onion sets at 60c per bushel, choice white sets at \$1.00 per bushel f. o. b. Louisville. Send your orders to us now, not only for onion sets but also for cow peas and save money. *We can meet any competition on onion sets.*

Yours truly,

HERNDON-CARTER CO.,

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Write to us and get on our mailing list. Please let us hear from you.

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